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A RESOLUTION TO GUARANTEE NORTH CAROLINA'S PROPOSITION OF THE DEBT OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES.

Whereas, The government of the Confederate States is
2 involved in a war for the independence of each of the
3 States of the Confederacy, as well as for its own existence;
4 and whereas, the destiny of each State of the Confeder-
5 acy is indissolubly connected with that of the Confederate
6 Government; and whereas, the Confederate Government
7 cannot successfully prosecute the war to a speedy and ho-
8 norable peace, without ample means of credit; and,
9 whereas, the General Assembly of the State of Alabama,
10 has adopted a joint resolution, guaranteeing Alabama's
11 proportion of said State, whenever the proposition shall be
12 acceded to by each of the States of the Confederate Go-
13 vernment—be it therefore,

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Commons of the
2 *State of North Carolina, in General Assembly convened,*
3 *That the State of North Carolina hereby accedes to the pro-*
4 *position of the State of Alabama, to guarantee North Caro-*
5 *lina's proportion of the debt of the Confederate Government*
6 *in proportion to the representation of this State in the Con-*
7 *gress of the Confederate Government, provided that each of*
8 *the said States, shall accept the proposition, and adopt*
9 *suitable legislation to carry it into effect, in which event*
10 *these resolutions shall stand as a guaranty of this State for*

11 the aforesaid proportion of North Carolina, of the debt of
12 the said Confederate Government.

Resolved further, That His Excellency, the Governor,
2 be, and he is hereby requested, to transmit a copy of these
3 resolutions to the Governor of each State of the Confede-
4 racy and to the President of the Confederacy.

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